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**DECLARATION BY INVENTOR MAHER KALAJI**

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Dear Sir:

I, Maher Kalaji, do declare as follows:

1. I am a professor in the Department of Chemistry, University of Wales, Bangor, Gwynedd, United Kingdom.
2. I am an inventor of the invention described in the above-referenced U.S. Patent Application.
3. In 2003, a postgraduate student working under my direction, Chris Gwenin, submitted an application and abstract to the 2003 Younger European Chemists' Conference to present a poster titled "The Development of an Amperometric Enzyme Sensor for the Detection of Explosives." The abstract and title were published in the list of Presenters and Posters of the

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Conference. The poster was never presented at the conference and was never publicly disclosed to the Conference organizers.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America all statements made of my own knowledge are true and correct.

Executed on this 15 day of August, 2011.

  
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